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(Original, Design, National Stage of PCT or CIP Application)

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name, I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed above) or an original, first and joint inventor along with those listed above (if plural names are listed above) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Magnetically Navigable Telescoping Catheter and Method of Navigating Telescoping Catheter

the specification of which: (Complete (a), (b) or (c) for type of application)

REGULAR OR DESIGN APPLICATION

- (a) is attached hereto.
- (b) x was filed on September 10, 1999 as Application Serial No. 09/393,521 and was amended on (if applicable).

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- (c) was described and claimed in International Application No. filed on and as amended on (if any).

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56.

 In compliance with this duty there is attached an information disclosure statement.
37 CFR 1.97.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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(d) no such applications have been filed.

(e) such applications have been filed as follows.

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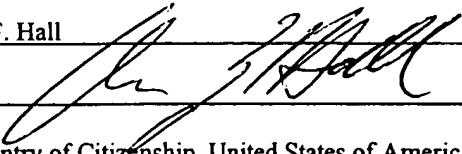
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Andrew F. Hall of 5184 Rosemont Drive, St. Charles, MO 63304 and Walter M. Blume of 446 Oak, Webster Groves, MO 63119, have invented certain new and useful improvements for a *Magnetically Navigable Telescopin Catheter and Method of Navigating Telescopin Catheter* for which we executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States identifying us as the only inventors thereof said application being assigned Serial Number 09/393,521 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and identified as Howell & Haferkamp, L.C., Docket 3176-9761; and

WHEREAS, Stereotaxis, Inc., a corporation of the State of Missouri having its principal office and place of business at 4041 Forest Park Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63108, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and improvements as disclosed in said application, in and to said application, and in and to the patent to be obtained thereon.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of all of which are hereby acknowledged, we, Andrew F. Hall and Walter M. Blume, have sold, assigned and transferred and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Stereotaxis, Inc., its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and improvements as the same are disclosed in said application which was executed by us in and to said application, and in and to any Letters Patent, including divisionals, continuations, reissues, reexaminations and extensions to be obtained therefor in the United States and all foreign countries; and we further agree to cooperate with the assignee hereunder in the obtaining and sustaining of any and all such Letters Patent as the assignee may desire to apply for, but at the expense of said assignee.

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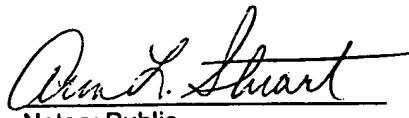


Andrew F. Hall

STATE OF Missouri
COUNTY OF Jefferson

On this 22nd day of December 1999 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of Jefferson, State of MO, personally appeared Andrew F. Hall, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged that he executed same as his free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.



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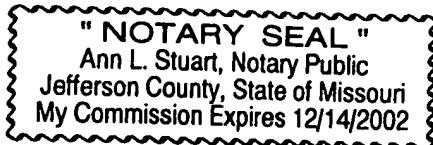
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On this 22nd day of December 1999 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of Jefferson, State of MO, personally appeared Walter M. Blume, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged that he executed same as his free act and deed.

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Ann L. Stuart

Notary Public

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